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**SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the accompanying information is being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Applicants request consideration of the documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents cited is enclosed. However, copies of the listed U.S. patent and U.S. patent application publication are not enclosed since it is no longer required according to the July 11, 2003 waiver of the requirement for copies of cited U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications in national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003 and international applications entering the national stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 after June 30, 2003.

EP 1 069 142 A1 is in German; however, Morschhäuser et al. U. S. Patent No. 6,645,476 B1 is cited to serve as an English translation

WO 02/43689 A2 is also in German; Loffler et al. U. S. Patent Application Publication No. US2004/0109835 A1 is cited to serve as an English translation.

The EP and WO publications were cited in applicants' corresponding European Application.

WO 02/43689 was published after the filing date of PCT/FR02/00028, of which the present application is a continuation. Its U.S. counterpart does not have a 35 U.S.C. §102(e) date and therefore is also not an effective reference hereagainst.

This Statement and accompanying Form PTO-1449 and cited documents are being submitted before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Continued examination is requested and the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) accompanies the present submission.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider this statement and the accompanying documents and that an Examiner-initialed copy of applicants' Form PTO-1449 be returned to the undersigned.

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## **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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## **NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS**

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